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ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 1037

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Committee on Finance.

1            AN ACT Relating to exempting retail sales of food and beverages  
2 from the litter tax that are consumed indoors on the seller's premises;  
3 amending RCW 82.19.050; and declaring an emergency.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 82.19.050 and 2001 1st sp.s. c 9 s 7 are each amended  
6 to read as follows:

7            The litter tax imposed in this chapter does not apply to:

8            (1) The manufacture or sale of products for use and consumption  
9 outside the state;

10            (2) The value of products or gross proceeds of the sales exempt  
11 from tax under RCW 82.04.330; (~~or~~)

12            (3) The sale of products for resale by a qualified grocery  
13 distribution cooperative to customer-owners of the grocery distribution  
14 cooperative. For the purposes of this section, "qualified grocery  
15 distribution cooperative" and "customer-owner" have the meanings given  
16 in RCW 82.04.298; or

17            (4) The sale of food or beverages by retailers that are sold solely  
18 for consumption indoors on the seller's premises.

1        NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 2.**   This act is necessary for the immediate  
2   preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
3   state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect  
4   immediately.

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